Mountain Weather Forecast

Northwest Highlands

Including Sutherland, Ben Wyvis, Wester Ross, The Cuillin, Glen Affric, Glen Shiel and Knoydart
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Sunday 13 Nov 2022 until 23:59 on Monday 14 Nov 2022

Forecast Issued on Saturday 12 Nov 2022 at 13:26 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for very mild and most dry conditions on Sunday, lower for the timing and extent of the rain spreading from the west on Monday and Tuesday.

Headline for Sunday 13 Nov 2022: Mainly dry with sunny spells, very mild. Gales over the summits.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 13 Nov 2022

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
Low Likelihood

Gales
Medium Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Clear night	Clear night	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Clear night	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%

Forecast for Sunday 13 Nov 2022

Weather: Dry with some clear spells overnight. A dry and bright day will follow with some warm sunny spells, the best of these across Assynt and Ben Hope with more in the way of cloud across Knoydart and the mountains of Skye, and turning misty over the Caithness hills during the afternoon. Dry with some clear spells during the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 80%, but 50% in the south and lowering 10% over the Caithness hills.

Low cloud and visibility: Small amounts of cloud over Assynt and Ben Hope, with patchy or broken cloud with bases 600-800 metres over southern ranges. Extensive cloud spreading to the Caithness hills during the afternoon, with bases 200-300 metres.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	27/35 S	29/36 SE	34/42 SE	28/36 SE	29/38 SE	30/40 SE	29/39 SE	28/39 SE	28/39 SE
900	26/34 S	25/32 SE	30/39 SE	23/31 SE	25/35 SE	26/37 SE	25/35 SE	25/36 SE	25/36 SE
600	17/25 S	16/24 SE	19/28 SE	16/25 SE	18/27 SE	19/29 SE	15/26 SE	17/28 SE	15/25 SE
300	3/19 S	3/15 SE	3/22 SE	3/16 E	5/26 SE	5/25 SE	5/26 SE	5/25 SE	5/27 SE
Glen	8/15 SE	8/20 SE	12/27 SE	6/18 SE	11/27 SE	12/28 SE	12/29 SE	13/29 SE	11/27 SE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	6/1	6/1	6/0	6/1	7/1	7/2	6/1	6/1	6/0
900	6/2	7/2	7/2	7/2	7/3	8/3	7/2	7/2	6/1
600	8/5	9/6	9/5	9/6	10/6	10/7	9/6	9/6	8/5
300	10/9	9/8	10/9	10/9	12/11	12/11	11/10	11/10	10/9
Glen	12/11	13/11	13/11	13/12	15/13	15/12	14/12	14/11	13/11
Freezing Level*	2000m	2100m	1900m	2200m	2300m	2100m	2200m	2200m	2200m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Another very mild day, but feeling chilly across the summits in the gale force winds.

Forecast for Monday 14 Nov 2022

Weather: Some clear spells overnight, but clouds increasing to give some rain across Skye and Torridon by the end of the night. A bright start across eastern ranges, but outbreaks or rain, heavy at times, across Skye and Torridon will spread slowly northeast across most ranges during the day, whilst slowly dying out. Clearer conditions will spread across southwestern ranges during the evening.

Maximum wind: Southeasterly 30 gust 40 mph, easing later.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 60% reducing 20% in the outbreaks of rain

Low cloud and visibility: Patchy or broken cloud with bases 600-800 metres, becoming more extensive in the rain with bases lowering 400-600 metres. Visibilities moderate or poor at times in rain. Clouds breaking to small amounts across the southwest during the evening.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 8 rising to plus 14 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 8 lowering to plus 4 Celsius later.
Freezing level: Above the summits

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